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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated August 23, 2007 (Paper No. 20070808), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Do not enter Amendments. KV 12/26/07